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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please substitute the following for the paragraph on page 11 beginning with line 35.

Figure 7 also shows the stop members 50 at the upper ends of the middle section 36 and the base section 32. Latitudinally fixed to the legs of these sections are cross members 66 and 78. These cross members in part provide structural integrity to the gantry assembly 10. The lower cross member fixed with respect to the base section 32 provides an interface between the cylinder 40 and mid member 44 of the hydraulic assembly 38. Similarly, the hydraulic assembly's upper piston 42 and mid member interface at the upper cross member fixed with respect to the middle section. The hydraulic assembly may pass through an aperture in the cross member of the middle section such that the assembly's motion is not impeded.